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In re Application of :

Christer Peterson : DECISION ON PETITION

Application No. 10/709,408

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This is a decision on the PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed August 25, 2007.

The petition is GRANTED.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a reply to the non-final Office action mailed October 5, 2005. This Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months, with extensions of time obtainable under § 1.136(a). No reply considered timely filed and no extension of time considered obtained, the application became abandoned effective January 6, 2006. A courtesy Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 3, 2006.

The petition includes the required reply in the form of an amendment, the statement of unintentional delay and payment of the petition fee. No terminal disclaimer is required.

Technology Center AU 2612 has been advised of this decision. The application is, thereby, forwarded to the examiner for consideration of the reply submitted on petition filed August 25, 2007.

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